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SUBJECT: VOLUNTARY VISITORS: COMMERCIAL WORKERS TEAM

JAPAN FEDERATION OF COMMERCIAL WORKERS UNIONS (JUC - SHOGYO  
4943, - 90,000) SENDING SIX MAN TEAM TO U.S. NOVEMBER 3-16,  
1977. POST REQUESTS FACILITATIVE AND INTERPRETER ASSISTANCE.  
TEAM MEMBERS AS FOLLOWS:

ASAO HOSHINO, JUC VICE PRESIDENT; CHIEF, JUC INDUSTRIAL POLICY  
COMMITTEE; PRESIDENT, ALL MATSUZAKAYA LABOR UNION.  
KEISUKE YOSHIKAI, JUC VICE PRESIDENT; MEMBER, JUC INDUSTRIAL  
POLICY COMMITTEE; MEMBER, JUC ORGANIZING COMMITTEE;  
PRESIDENT, ALL UNEED LABOR UNION.  
MUNEO ITOH, VICE PRESIDENT, ISETAN LABOR UNION; MEMBER, JUC  
INTERNATIONAL LABOR EXCHANGE COMMITTEE.  
AKIRA YUINAWA, VICE PRESIDENT, ALL TOKYU STORE EMPLOYEES  
UNIN.

PROF. TOSHIMASA TSURUTA, SENSU UNIVERSITY.

TEAM OBJECTIVES AS FOLLOWS:

BUSINESS COMPETITION AND ITS IMPACT ON WORKERS IN THE  
RETAIL TRADERS.

1. ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDANCE FOR RETAIL TRADES BY  
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY, WITH  
EMPHASIS ON PROTECTION OF EMPLOYEES AND CONSUMERS.

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2. TRENDS IN OPENING HOURS IN RETAIL STORES AND  
IMPACT ON EMPLOYEES.

3. NEW METHODS INTRODUCED IN RETAIL TRADES AND IMPACT  
ON EMPLOYEES.

4. FEDERAL AND MUNICIPAL(LOCAL) LEGISLATION FOR PROTECTION  
OF EMPLOYEES AND CONSUMERS FROM IMPACT OF EXCESSIVE  
COMPETITION INRETAIL BUSINESS.

FIGHT DATA, BIODATA ETC. WILL BE FORWARDED LATER. RCIA  
AND RWDSU INFORMED OF PROPOSED TRIP. ADVISE.

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